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MR. JUSTICE WHITTAKER PRESIDES:

The arrival Tuesday evening of Mr. Justice and Mrs. Charles E. Whittaker will mark the beginning of the 38th Annual Henry M. Campbell Competition and Case Club Banquet. Judge and Mrs. Cecil will also arrive Tuesday evening, and both couples will be guests of the Lawyers Club for two days. Since the Michigan Supreme Court will be in session next week, Justice Souris will hear oral arguments in Lansing Wednesday morning and will then hurry to Ann Arbor in time to hear the Campbell argument Wednesday afternoon at 2:15 in Hutchins Hall, room 100. Dean Smith, Prof. Estep and Prof. Israel will complete the distinguished bench. Faculty observers agree that the importance of the issues presented by the case\* and the outstanding ability of all four contestants will produce one of the most interesting and exciting oral arguments in the history of the Campbell Competition. Bill Brashares and Chuck Dayton will meet Frank Kerwin and Bill Wickens in a very evenly-matched contest for a first prize of \$300 and a second prize of \$150. The winning team will be announced at the Banquet Wednesday evening immediately before Mr. Justice Whittaker's speech. Dean Smith will announce the election of next year's Presiding Judge and Senior Judges, and Tony Benton will announce the names of the high-ranking freshmen receiving book awards. Every freshman who registered for Case Clubs is entitled to a free ticket to the Banquet, but freshmen are reminded that all tickets must be picked up by Monday.

\*(legislative reapportionment and a state statute requiring candidates for public office to indicate their race and religion on the ballot.)

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ANTHONY LEWIS OF THE NEW YORK TIMES HERE: Highlighting the Speakers Program this year will be Anthony Lewis, the New York Times correspondent with the United States Supreme Court. Mr. Lewis has been the recipient of numerous honors, among them the Pulitzer Prize and the Heywood Broun Award. To provide students and faculty the greatest possible opportunity to benefit from his experiences and insights relating to the Supreme Court, he will be in residence at the Lawyers Club on Wednesday and Thursday, April 3 and 4. Because it was necessary to expend a substantial amount of money to secure him, it is hoped as many as possible will take advantage of this rare opportunity.

There will be informal discussions in the lounge during the afternoons (excluding the period occupied by the Campbell Competition arguments) covering the range of constitutional topics receiving current emphasis. A sample: "feather-bedding" in the railroad industry, the ramifications flowing from Baker v. Carr (reapportionment), prayer in the classroom, the incorporation doctrine (extending all of the protections contained in the first ten amendments to the states via the due process clause of the fourteenth Amendment), civil rights, practice before the Supreme Court, and the impact of Mapp v. Ohio (no illegally obtained evidence may be introduced in state trials).

On Wednesday evening at 6:30 in the lounge there will be a discussion centering around the new personalities on the Court: "White and Goldberg--a New Liberal Trend?" Mr. Lewis will also take any questions on this or related topics. On Thursday evening Mr. Lewis will be speaking on the problem of counsel for indigents: "Betts v. Brady Revisited." Following this 6:30 speech in the lounge there will be opportunity for questions.

Exact times for Mr. Lewis' afternoon discussions in the lounge will be posted on the bulletin board in Hutchins Hall and in the Lawyers Club. Call Bill Rutherford (662-7707) for reservations to eat with Mr. Lewis either Wednesday or Thursday evening or to reserve a time to speak with Mr. Lewis during the day.

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EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH MRS. MORGAN: Over the years, the meals consumed by the knife and fork artists of the Lawyers Club have been analogized to those served at Chicago's Pump Room on the one extreme and to the sometimes less than scrumptious repast of a Field Mess on the other.

Extreme fear of stormy protest notwithstanding, we believe that the morsels turned out in the last two years by Mrs. Wilda Morgan and her able crew of chief cooks and bottle washers are the products of some pretty fine culinary talents.

That would seem, at first glance, to be quite a mouthful (no pun intended) but let's look at some revelations.

Our mentor Mrs. Morgan is an eminently qualified dietician having graduated from Michigan State's College of Home Economics with a B.S. degree after obtaining her teaching certificate at Western Michigan Teachers College. She interned for a year at Michigan State and then proceeded to embark upon a distinguished career which included chief dietician positions at Rhode Island State, Cal. Tech., and Grand Rapids' Blodgett Hospital, prior to coming to the Lawyers Club.

In her present capacity, Mrs. Morgan handles the purchase and preparation of Lawyers Club food. She controls the expenditures of a dining hall budget slightly under \$200,000 per year. Mrs. Morgan maintains that 45 per cent of the average \$2 daily outlay per student is devoted solely to food purchase with the remaining 55 per cent being applied to salaries of the Law Club kitchen and serving personnel.

When questioned concerning the incidence of complaints on the quality of her offerings, Mrs. Morgan shrugged philosophically and asserted that the increase in moaning is directly proportional to the increase in the snow's depth. I.e., dissatisfaction is fairly prevalent in the winter, but miraculously, is negligible in the spring when a young man's fancy turns to thoughts other than food. Nevertheless she would welcome any constructive suggestions for the improvement of service and for the better preparation of our meals.

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ATHLETIC ITEMS: Last Tuesday the valiant lawyers club international ping pong squad captured the professional fraternity championship, bringing to the Club its first intramural championship of the year. Hans Bagner, after warming up at a minor tourney in Detroit, again led the team, ably backed by Dan Durrack, Bob Currie, Kim Anthony and Will Johnson. To cap the successful ping pong season the Club intramural department has announced an intraquad tournament scheduled to occur the week after vacation. All are invited to participate--even those sharks on the faculty. Sign up lists will be posted in the Club and in Hutchins. An appropriate liquid trophy has been rumored. There are some plans to participate in the remaining intramural events, including horseshoes, tennis, golf, and softball. Anyone interested in exercising their bodies in these events for the glory of the Lawyers Club are urged to contact Stan Wagner in 044. The ephemeral softball team is particularly looking for experienced personnel, especially a good semipro pitcher.

ELECTIONS: Elections of officers of the Lawyers Club members of the Board of Directors, and one two year term on the Board of Governors will be held Tuesday, Apr. 23. Nomination petitions are due Apr. 5th (Fri.) at 4:30 P.M. at the Recorder's Office for the following positions:

President of the Lawyers Club - he must be a senior, preferably a resident of the Club.

Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer

Board of Directors - 7 positions open, at least 4 of whom must be residents of the Club

Board of Governors - 1 position  
This is a 2 year term.

Each petition must contain the signatures of at least 20 members of the Lawyers Club and be accompanied by a photograph of the petitioner.

LAW CLUB JOBS FOR NEXT YEAR, etc. - There are two paid jobs in the Lawyers Club: manager of the student bookstore and editor of the Quad, the yearbook. Anyone interested should see Dave Serotkin. - A three dollar fine will be levied on those caught walking or playing on the grass in the quad. - On April 24 there will be a beer blast for seniors and the faculty at the V.F.W. This has always been a heart-warming event, so jot it down in your busy spring social calendar.

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Phid: Sunday Party 3:30 to 6:30 March 31.

Del: Saturday, Initiation at 4:00, Banquet at 6:30, party at 9:00.

TER NEWS: Sports: John Mason won the diving championship in the I-M meet; the rest of the team drowned.

Social: Something brewing for Sat. nite. Watch for announcement on board.

AT THE FLICKS: Campus - "Yjimbo"; Cinema Guild - "Our Man in Havana", Sat. - "Strike" State - Friday, "The Courtship of Eddie's Father", Saturday, "Follow the Boys" Michigan - "Freud", Sunday, "Two for the Seesaw"

